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Warsaw, September 13.

THIS Court having received Advice that an epidemical Distemper rages upon the Frontiers of Turkey, which has carried off a great Number of Persons, have sent Orders for Guards to be placed at all the Avenues, in order to prevent its being brought into this Kingdom. Within these few Days past two prodigeous Flights of Locusts appeared in this Neighbourhood, but they went off without doing much Damage.

Madrid, Sept. 15. The Letters from Alicant of the 10th Instant mention, that the two Spanish Men of War and the two Xabeques were returned to Cartagena from sounding the Bay of Algier, which they were two Days performing under Dutch Colours, but that when they had finished they fired a Gun, and hoisted Spanish Enfigns; that it was believed the Ships and Xabeques would be disarmed, as the Bomb Ketches were already laid up. It is wrote from Cadiz, that a Vessel arrived there the 7th Instant from Vera Cruz, and last from the Havanna, in sixty Days, with Advice, that the two Men of War at Vera Cruz were to sail in the Month of June with five Millions of Dollars; that two others were arrived at Cartagena; and that the said four Men of War may be expected in Europe about the End of next Month.

Prague, Sept. 15. The Diet of the States of this Kingdom was opened to Day. 'Tis believed the Troops which are at present encamped at Konigsgratz and Pilsen, will be ordered into Winter Quarters towards the End of this Month.

Turin, Sept. 17. On the 9th Instant, the Right Honourable the Earl of Rochfort, his Britannick Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to this Court, arrived here, and on the 13th had an Audience of his Sardinian Majesty, and was received in a most gracious Manner; after which his Lordship had an Audience of the Duke of Savoy, and of the Duke of Chablais and the Princesses. The King and all the Court set out To-morrow for the Venerie, where they propose to stay some Time.

Vienna, Sept. 20, *N. S.* On Monday last the States of Lower Austria assembled, and the Empress Queen made a Speech from the Throne, wherein her Imperial Majesty solemnly confirmed all the Privileges of the States, and declared that she had no new Subsidy of any Kind to demand, being quite satisfied with those, which the States had formerly given for ten Years.

Copenhagen, Sept. 23, *N. S.* The contagious Distemper among the horned Cattle having lately broke out again in some Parts of this Island, his Danish Majesty, by an Ordonance of the 15th Instant, has been pleased to suspend the holding of the usual Markets for Cattle, in order to prevent, if possible, the farther spreading of that Calamity.

Berlin, Sept. 23. The King, who arrived here Yesterday from Potzdam, gave Audience to the Marquess Grimaldi, Envoy Extraordinary from the Court of Spain to that of Sweden, who came through this City in his Way to Stockholm.

Paris, Sept. 26. On Monday last the King arrived at Versailles in perfect Health, from the Journey he had taken to Normandy, and on Wednesday his Majesty set out for Rambouillet. His Grace the Duke of Richmond, accompanied by the Earl of Albemarle, is set out for Aubigny, where they propose to spend a few Days.

Utrecht, Sept. 29. Letters received this Day from Vienna of the 20th Instant, say, that Count William Bentinck arrived there on the 19th in perfect Health, and proceeded the next Day to the Palace of Schonbrun, in order to have his Audience of her Imperial Majesty.

Hague, Oct. 1, *N. S.* This Day the several Civil and Military Officers, who had been nominated and recommended by his Serene Highness the Prince of Orange to the States General, were confirmed by their High Mightinesses, and sworn

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ſworn into their ſeveral Employments. The Day for the Departure of the Prince of Orange for Loo is not yet fixed, as their High Mightineſſes have the further Reduction of the Troops of this Republick now under their Conſideration.

Navy Office, Sept. 22, 1749.

The Right Hon. the Lords Commiſſioners of the Treaſury having appointed Money for paying of Half Pay to Sea Officers, from the 30th of June, to the 31ſt of December, 1748, according to his Majeſty's Eſtabliſhment on that Behalf;

Theſe are to give Notice, that the ſaid Payment will begin to be made at the Treaſurer of the Navy's Office in Broad Street, at Eight of the Clock in the Morning, the following Days, to wit, on Tueſday the 3d of next Month for Captains, Wedneſday the 4th for Lieutenants, and Thurſday the 5th for Maſters and Surgeons, that all Perſons concerned may then and there attend to receive what may become payable to them, and not only bring with them the Affidavit required touching their not having enjoyed the Benefit of any publick Employment, either at Sea or on Shore, during the Time they are to be paid the ſaid Half Pay, but alſo produce Certificates that they have ſubſcribed to the Teſt, and taken the Oaths required by Act of Parliament to his preſent Majeſty. And in Caſe any of the ſaid Sea Officers ſhall not be able to attend themſelves to receive their Money, but employ Attorneys for that Purpoſe, that the ſaid Attorneys may produce the like Certificates and Affidavits from the Perſons they are employed by.

Trinity Houſe, London, Sept. 21, 1749.

Notice is hereby given, that the Gunfleet Beacon is broke away, and that another will be replac'd and advertized accordingly.

London, Sept. 23, 1749.

A General Court of the Company of Proprietors of the Undertaking for Recovering and Preſerving the Navigation of the River D E E, will be held at their Office in St. Swithin's Lane, near London Stone, Cannon Street, on Thurſday the 12th of October next, at Eleven a Clock in the Forenoon, for electing a Chairman and Committee-men for the Year enſuing; of which all concerned are hereby deſired to take Notice.

Ja. Blackwell, *Secr.*

Office for Relief of Seaman, &c. Sept. 23, 1749.

A Quarterly General Court of the Preſident and Governors for Relief and Support of Sick, Maimed, and diſabled Seamen, &c. in the Merchants Service, will be held at the Office on the Royal Exchange, on Wedneſday the 4th of October next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon.

By Order of the Preſident and Committee.

Dan. Campbell, *Secretary.*

A General Meeting of the Truſtees for Repairing and Amending the Turnpike Roads in the Counties of Surry and Suſſex, is appointed to be held at the King's Arms Tavern on St. Margaret's Hill, on Tueſday the 3d Day of October, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, to chuſe Truſtees in the Place of ſuch as are dead, removed, or refuſe to act; and to appoint Toll Collectors; and other Affairs relating to the Truſt.

St. Gourney, *Clerk.*

East India Houſe, Auguſt 18, 1749.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England Trading to the Eaſt-Indies, do hereby give Notice, That the ſaid Company will, on the 31ſt Day of March 1750. pay and diſcharge all Principal Money and Intereſt that ſhall be then due on the ſaid Company's Bonds.

And they do further give Notice, that the Company's Treaſurer will receive Tenders for lending the Company ſuch Sums of Money upon their Bonds, at the Rate of Three Pounds per Centum per Annum, as they ſhall have Occaſion for; and that in receiving ſuch Tenders, Preference will be given to the preſent Bond-holders, provided the Sums offered by them do not exceed what ſhall be ſufficient, and that the ſame be tendered on on before the 31ſt Day of October next. And the Court of Directors do hereby further declare, that they will not admit of any Tenders otherwiſe than by exhibiting Bonds of the ſaid Company, and conſenting to have the ſame endorſed, to be continued at the Rate of Three Pounds per Centum per Annum, from the 31ſt of March 1750. and payable at Six Months Notice.

London, September 19, 1749.

Notice is hereby given to the Proprietors of the Bonds iſſued by the Mayor and Commonalty and Citizens of the City of London, under their common Seal, to the ſeveral Contractors for Lighting the Streets of the ſaid City to Midſummer 1744, That the Principal of the ſaid Bonds marked Letter D. N° 29, to 41 incluſive, will be paid off at Chriſtmas next, together with all Intereſt due thereon; and that Attendance will be given for that Purpoſe in the Chamberlain's Office of the Guildhall, on Friday the 22d, and Saturday the 23d of December next, from Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, till Two of the Clock in the Afternoon on each of the ſaid Days: And the ſaid Proprietors are hereby required further to take Notice, that if any of the ſaid Bonds, marked and numbered as aforeſaid, are not brought for Payment, purſuant to this Notice, the Intereſt thereof will, from and after the 25th Day of December next, wholly ceaſe and determine.

London, Auguſt 8, 1749.

Whereas the Accounts of the undermentioned Prizes have been ſettled at Leghorn; Whoever are entitled to a Share thereof, may apply perſonally, or by their Attorney, with proper Certificates, and receive of Burrington Goldworthy, Eſq; his Majeſty's Conſul at Leghorn, or of Mr. James Howe, Merchant at ſaid Place, their reſpective Parts of the net Produce; and thoſe who do not apply as aboveſaid, within the Time of three Months from this Date, are to take Notice, that the Ballance then remaining undemanded, will be forthwith paid to the Treaſurer of Greenwich Hoſpital, as directed by Act of Parliament.

A Cargo of Barley aboard the Ship La Noſtra Signora dell' Aſſunto, and St. Franceſco di Paola;

Two French Veſſels, with Ammunition and warlike Stores;

The St. Michael Poſtilion d'Africa and her Cargo, (French);

The Verge de Grace and her Cargo, (French);
Taken by his Majeſty's Ship Feverſham.

The Santa Barbara and her Cargo, (French) taken by his Majeſty's Ship Dunkirk.

The Vierge de la Garde and her Cargo (French) taken by his Majeſty's Ship Antelope.

Notice

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Companies of his Majeſty's Ships undermentioned, who were on board at the Taking the Five Spaniſh Prizes off Cape Cantin, the 7th of March 1747-8. *that a Diſtribution of the Remittances, on Account of the Produce of the ſaid Prizes, received from Lisbon, and the Produce of the Ship Noſtra Seniora de los Dolores y Saint Antonio de Padua, and Sloop Noſtra Seniora de los Dolores, laden with Wines, and ſent to London, will be paid at the King's Arms upon Tower Hill: And the Recalls the third Friday in every Month, beginning in November, for three Years after.*

Edinburgh, *Tueſday* 17 *October*, 1749.
Eagle, *Thurſday* 19 *Ditto.*
Windſor, *Friday* 20 *Ditto.*
Inverneſs, *Saturday* 21 *Ditto, to the Ship's Company only.*

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of his Majeſty's Ship Flamborough, who were on board her at the taking the Chaſſeur, a French Privateer, and alſo the Marieanne Privateer, taken in Company with his Majeſty's Sloop Jamaica, that they may receive their reſpective Shares of the Produce of the ſaid Prizes, at the Fountain Tavern in Portſmouth, on Friday the 6th of October next; and ſuch Shares as are not then demanded, may be received at the ſame Place the firſt Friday in every Month for three Years after.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of his Majeſty's Ship Princeſs Louiſa, and the Officers of his Majeſty's Ship Inverneſs, who were on board at taking the five Spaniſh Prizes off Cape Cantin, the 7th of March 1747 8, *that a Diſtribution of the Remittances on Account of the Produce of ſaid Prizes received from Lisbon, and the Produce of the Ship Noſtra Seniora de los Dolores, St. Antonio de Padua, and Sloop Noſtra Seniora de los Dolores, laden with Wines and ſent to London, will be paid at Meſſ. Greig and Campbell's, near Union Stairs, the 17th of October,* 1749; *and the Recalls the firſt Monday in every Month for three Years after.*

Advertiſements.

Dr. *ANDERSON*'s, or, The Famous *SCOTS* PILLS;

ARE faithfully prepared only by JAMES INGLISH, Son of DAVID INGLISH, deceaſed, at the Unicorn, over-againſt the New Church in the Strand, London; and to prevent Counterfeits from Scotland, as well as in and about London, you are deſired to take Notice, That the true Pills have their Boxes ſealed on the Top (in black Wax) with a Lyon Rampant, and Three Mullets Argent, Dr. Anderſon's Head betwixt I. I. with his Name round it, and Iſabella Engliſh underneath the Shield in a Scroll. They are of excellent Uſe in all Caſes where Purging is neceſſary, and may be taken with Epſom, Tunbridge, or other Medicinal Waters.

THE Creditors under a renewed Commiſſion of Bankruptcy awarded againſt Robert Aſton, late of London, Merchant, who have not received the firſt, ſecond, or third Dividend of his Eſtate, may, by applying to Mr. Robert Henſhaw, at Cooks Hall, Alderſgate Street, receive Orders for the ſame.

This Day is publiſhed, N° VI. *and* VII. *of*

THE New Critical, Biographical, and Geographical HISTORY of SCOTLAND. In this and the former Numbers, ſeveral Things are taken Notice of not to be found in other Hiſtories of Scotland. The Author is determined to do Juſtice with the ſtricteſt Impartiality to all Nations allied to Scotland. The five former Numbers are to be had only of the Author, at Mrs. Winchbuſh's, Charing-croſs, or at his own Houſe; where Bookſellers and others can be ſupplied as they want.

If any Perſon or Perſons can give certain Intelligence of any Numbers ſold in any of the Cities or Towns in England, or elſewhere, upon Conviction of the Venders and Offenders, the Perſons giving the Information ſhall be intitled to Ten Pounds Reward; for the Author and ſole Proprietor of this Work has given no Orders for any, nor ſold any to the Country as yet; and none have any Right but he alone to ſupply the Cities or Towns, or any Perſons with the Numbers.

The Proprietors and the Author of this National, uſeful and publick Work are determined to carry on and to execute the whole Work according to the firſt Propoſals, notwithſtanding all the indirect Practices uſed to hurt the Undertaking, which will be made publick to the World. Thro' the Whole of the Hiſtory down to the preſent Year, the ſtricteſt Impartiality and Truth will be obſerved, and all poſſible Care taken to avoid giving any Offence to either Side.

The Head of Malcolm the Third, is this Day delivered out to all who take in the Numbers.

ON the 29th of July laſt his Majeſty granted unto Thomas Stokoe, of Bryans Leap, and William Newton, of Butnopfield in the County of Durham, Gentlemen, his Royal Letters Patent for the ſole Making, Exerciſing and Vending in England, Wales, and Berwick upon Tweed, for Fourteen Years, a new Kind of Machine or Engine for the more eaſy and expeditious drawing of Coals, Stones, Water, Oar, and other heavy Bodies out of Pits, Mines, &c. (by the Application of the Weight as well as Strength of Horſes or Men) than any Machine or Engine heretofore uſed for that Purpoſe.

WHereas John Swancott, late of the Town of Machynlleth, in the County of Montgomery, Gent. went to London, and it is ſuppoſed proceeded afterwards to Sea, and hath not been heard of by any of his Friends for above eight Years paſt: If the ſaid John Swancott will apply to Mr. Peter Prevoſt, at his Chambers in Clement's Inn, London, or to Mr. Bowen Jones, Attorney at Law, at Llanidloes in Montgomeryſhire, he may hear of ſomething to his Advantage; or if the ſaid John Swancott is dead, any Perſon that will give an Account of the Time he died, and the Place he was buried at, to either of the Perſons above mentioned, will be ſatisfied for their Trouble.

THE Creditors who have duly proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt iſſued againſt Joſeph Gledhill, late of Abberford, in the County of York, Mercer and Grocer, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees under the ſaid Commiſſion on Saturday the 30th Day of September Inſtant, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the Houſe of John Shephard, being the Sign of the Old Falcon in Micklegate in the City of York, to conſent to the Aſſignees ſubmitting to reference one or more Suit or Suits in Equity commenced for the better Recovery of the ſaid Bankrupt's Effects, and to conſult upon other ſpecial Affairs relating to the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under the Commiſſion of Bankrupt lately awarded and iſſued againſt Edward Richardſon, late of Leaden Hall Street, but now of Wincheſter Street, in the City of London, Victualler and Chapman, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects, on Monday next, being the 25th Day of September Inſtant, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the King's Arms Tavern in Lombard Street, to conſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees commencing or defending a Suit or Suits in Law or Equity touching the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate or Effects, and on other ſpecial Affairs.

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